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Mail Stop Amendment

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ORTHOGONAL MODULATION DEVICE, METHOD, PROGRAM, RECORDING

MEDIUM, AND MODULATION DEVICE

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Preliminary Amendment** in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

X An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.

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